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Modified PTO 1083

Attorney Docket No. ALT-283

Application No.:

Confirmation No.:

For : MULTIPLE DATA RATES IN PROGRAMMABLE  
LOGIC DEVICE SERIAL INTERFACE

Examiner :

117858 U.S. PTO  
10/670845  
09/24/03

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☒ a Preliminary Amendment;  
☐ a Response to Examiner's Action; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment;  
☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a  
 Power of Attorney; ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be  
 filed in the above-identified patent application.

☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL
TOTAL CLAIMS	38	- 38*	= 0 x \$18 =	\$ .00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	- 3**	= 0 x \$84 =	\$ .00	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+ \$280 =	\$ .00	
			TOTAL	\$ .00	

\* If less than 20, insert 20.  
\*\* If less than 3, insert 3.

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* If less than 20, insert 20.
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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ in payment of the fee for additional claims is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- ☐ Please charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the fee for additional claims. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

- ☐ The following extension fee is applicable to the Response filed herewith:  
☐ \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$410.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$930.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,450.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,970.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A check in the amount of ☐ \$110.00 ☐ \$410.00 ☐ \$930.00 ☐ \$1,450.00 ☐ \$1,970.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
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Modified PTO 1082  
For Other Than A Small Entity

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EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION"Express Mail" mailing label number EV132183339USDate of Deposit September 24, 2003

I hereby certify that this transmittal letter and the other papers and fees identified in this transmittal letter as being transmitted herewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and are addressed to the Hon. Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

  
Claire J. Saint-John GoodmanTRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR  
ORIGINAL PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the ☒ specification;  
☒ claims; ☒ abstract; ☒ declaration; ☒ power of attorney; for the above-identified patent application.

Also transmitted herewith are:

☒ Five (5) sheets of:☒ Formal drawings.☐ Informal drawings. Formal drawings will be filed during the pendency of this application.☒ An assignment of the invention to ALTERA CORPORATION, a corporation of Delaware☒ A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recording fee.☐ Please charge \$40.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the recording fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

☐ An associate power of attorney.

☐ A certified copy of the priority document, \_\_\_\_\_ application,  
No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.


The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE				\$ 750.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	38 - 20 = 18	x \$ 18 =		\$ 324.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3 = 0	x \$ 84 =		\$ .00
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TOTAL				\$ 1,074.00

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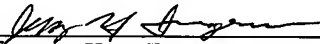
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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a), applicants hereby request that the above-identified patent application, which is being filed concurrently herewith, not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b). It is hereby certified that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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